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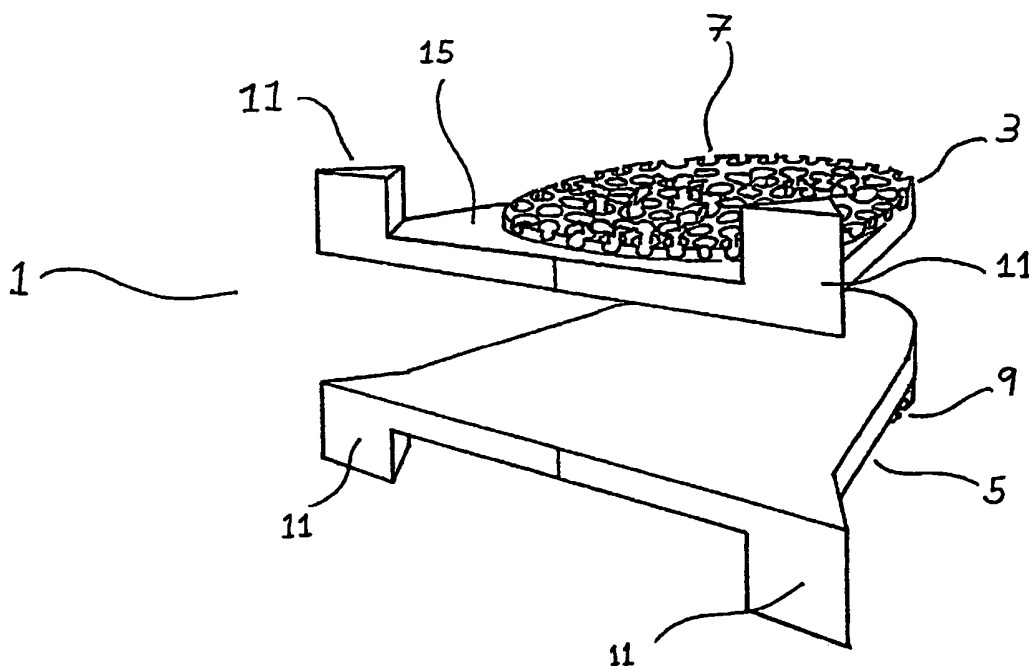
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(57) Abstract: The application relates to an intervertebral prosthesis (1). In particular, to an articulating intervertebral disc prosthesis. In use, the intervertebral prosthesis is fixed to the end plates of vertebrae following the surgical excision of a degenerative or ruptured disc. The intervertebral prosthesis has substantially flat bone engaging surfaces (7, 9) with a macro-textured surface.

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